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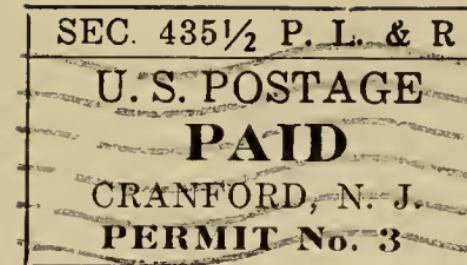


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# CROCKET'S HARDY ALPINE PLANTS

The following collection of DWARF PLANTS are excellent for planting in association with rocks and are of known hardiness. We have grouped them under five headings to help you to select the varieties best suited to your needs.

## SUB-SHRUBS

PLANTS OF THIS NATURE ARE HARD-WOODED AT THE BASE, GROW SLOWLY AND SELDOM ENCROACH ON OTHER PLANTS

**AETHIONEMA** (Lebanon Candytuft). A family of rare and beautiful dwarf sub-shrubs thriving in sunny, well drained positions on the rock garden.

**A. Persicum.** A dainty compact bush, covered in July with pink flowers borne in racemes. 1 ft. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**A. Iberideum.** Trailing habit. White flowers and gray foliage. 6 inches. April-May. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**ARTEMESIA FRIGIDA.** Plumpy, silvery foliage on wiry stems. Miniature yellow flowers. 1 ft. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**DAPHNE Cneorum.** A hardy shrub which trails over the ground in a most beautiful manner. The fragrant flowers are pink, in clusters, and are borne profusely in early spring, and during the summer and fall. Pot Plants, \$1.50 each. Strong Clumps, \$2.50 each.

**CALLUNA VULGARIS** (True Scotch Heather). Purple flowers. June-July. Each \$1; doz. \$10.

**ERICA DOUBLE PINK** (New). A charming novelty, with distinctly double pink flowers. Each \$1.00.

**HELIANTHEMUM** (Rock or Sun Rose). Low-growing evergreen plants, forming broad clumps, and which during their flowering season, July to September, are hidden by a mass of bloom. Yellow, red, pink. Each, 40c; doz. \$4.

**HYPERICUM CALYGINUM.** Forms a carpet of bright green foliage bearing large golden tasseled blooms in August. 1 foot. Each 60c; doz. \$6.

**IBERIS SEMPERVIRENS.** Perennial Candytuft. Pure white. The finest white rock plant. 12 inches. May-June. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**LAVANDULA VERA, Dwarf Munstead.** It combines all the delicious fragrance, gray foliage and pale blue flowers of the popular lavender with a neat, compactness that makes it a rare subject for the rock garden. Each, 30c; doz. \$3.

**PACHYSANDRA** (Japanese Spurge).

**Terminalis.** A trailing plant 6 to 8 inches high, forming broad mats of bright glossy green foliage. A ground cover which will grow in all shady situations. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50; hundred \$18; thousand \$150.

**SANTOLINA INCANA** (Lavender Cotton).

A sweet smelling, dwarf, evergreen perennial, with delicate, silver-white foliage, useful as rock or border plants. 1 foot. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**TEUCRIUM CHAMAEDRYS** (Germander).

Glossy dark green leaves with pink flowers in late summer. 12-18 in. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**COLLECTION.** One each of 12 varieties of above, our selection (including one Daphne) prepaid for \$7.00. Six varieties our selection \$3.50 prepaid.

## CLUSTER PLANTS

THESE FORM CLUSTERS OR CLUMPS THAT GROW MODERATELY AND DO NOT CREEP OR RUN

**ACHILLEA UMBELLATA.** This is a new Achillea with single white flowers the size of a dime borne in flat-topped clusters six inches above the silvery foliage. June. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

**ALYSSUM SAXATILE.** Gold Dust. Fine rock plant. April and May. 6 inches. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**ANCHUSA Myosotidiflora.** The oval stalked leaves are surmounted by graceful panicles of bright blue flowers in May; very hardy; fine for shady rock gardens. 1 ft. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**ANEMONE pulsatilla** (Pasque Flower). From fine cut foliage, the large bell-shaped purplish flowers open late in April. 12 in. April-May. Each 35c; doz. \$3.

**AQUILEGIA alpina superba.** A real Alpine Columbine with dark blue flowers. Only 10 in. high. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**ARMERIA laucheania.** A deep pink variety 6 in. May-June. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**ASTER subcoeruleus grandiflora** (Himalyan Aster). Striking large violet purple single flowers with golden centers in June-July. Leaves basal. Stems erect. 12-15 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**CAMPANULA carpatica.** Suitable for rock garden or border. Large blue, cup-shaped flowers during July and August. 1 ft. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**CAMPANULA carpatica alba.** A white variety of the preceding. 1 ft. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**CAMPANULA muralis.** Compact habit, with dark blue bells. Not over 5 in. May-June. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**CAMPANULA rotundifolia** (Blue Hare-Bells). This plant is quite at home in the Rock Garden, where its slender wiry stems may hang over a rock. Each 40c; doz. \$4.

**CHRYSANTHEMUM articum** (Arctic Daisy). A gem from the frigid zone. "It cheers November's blast." The flowers, often 2 1/2 in. across, are not over 12 in. high. Oct.-Nov. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**DIANTHUS plumarius** (Gladys Cranfield). A fine new variety. Flowers rosy lilac with maroon centre. 1 ft. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**DIANTHUS speciosus** (Fringe Pink). A new scented variety with lavender pink flowers. It thrives on dry spots. June-Aug. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**DICENTRA cucullaria.** A miniature Bleeding Heart with pale pink flowers and lacy foliage. May-June. 6 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**DIELYTRA eximia** (Plumy Bleeding Heart). A dwarf-growing sort, with beautiful finely cut foliage and showy racemes of pretty pink flowers throughout the season. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

**GENTIANA Andrewsii** (Closed Gentian). Clusters of blue flowers. Shady spot. 1 ft. Sept. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**G. septemfida** (Rare). Clusters of sapphire flowers. 9 in. July-Aug. Each \$1.

**GEUM Lady Stratheden.** A rock plant of great merit. Its double golden blooms are produced freely all summer. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**LOBULARIA tricosantha** (Globe Daisy). Small blue heads. Prostrate foliage. 6 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**GYPSOPHILA cerastoides.** This dwarf compact plant is covered in June with large white flowers. 4 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**HEUCHERA sanguinea** (Coral Bells). Dainty spikes of tiny pink bells. 12-18 in. June-August. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**INULA ensifolia.** A very dwarf golden daisy-like plant. 6 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**IRIS cristata.** The nicest, neatest Iris for the rock garden; soft lavender blue, with orange crest. 6 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**IRIS dichotoma vespers.** A rare new Iris from Central China. It has a distinct habit of growth. At about a foot from the ground it branches out and continues to branch while producing its lavender blue flowers every afternoon during July-Aug. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**I. Tricuspidis.** A rare dwarf Iris with large rich violet flowers. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**LEONTOPODIUM alpinum.** The famous Edelweiss of the Alps, in quest of which many a mountain climber has lost his life. The wooly star-shaped flower heads may be grown with ease in your garden. May-June. Each 30c; doz. \$3.



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## CLUSTER PLANTS (Continued)

*LIATRIS punctata*. (New). A miniature blazing star with royal purple spikes. About 12 in. high. October-November. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

*LINARIA globosa*. Miniature snapdragon-like flowers of a lilac color. Neat, fleshy round leaves. Does not creep. Each 40c; doz. \$4.

*LINUM flavum*. Fine variety with transparent, yellow blossoms. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*LINUM perenne* (Blue Flax). A daily crop of the loveliest blue the season through. 12-18 in. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

*MEGASEA crassifolia*. Clusters of pink flowers. Large leathery leaves. 1 ft. May. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*OENOTHERA missouriensis*. A marvelous evening primrose with flowers often 4 in. across. Blooms in late afternoon from June to August. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*OPHIOPOGON jaburans variegata*. Rare hardy plant with variegated grass-like leaves and blue flower spikes in summer. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

*PAPAVER nudicaule* (Iceland Poppy). Yellow, white and orange. June. 1 ft. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

*PHLOX amoena*. This is one of the dwarfest, hardiest of the Phloxes. The flowers are vivid pink and they literally cover the plant in April and May. 9 in. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50; hundred \$18.

*PHLOX argillacea* (The Sand Dune Phlox). Lovely silvery lavender flowers borne on numerous slender dwarf stems with long narrow shiny leaves like a miniature Miss Lingard. Ideal on dry spots. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

*PHLOX Carolina*. This distinct variety has oval light green leaves and panicles of soft rose flowers that are not over 1 ft. in height. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

*PHLOX subulata* "vivid." Neat compact foliage, smothered from May to July with quantities of soft pink flowers. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

*\*PHYSOSTEGIA grandiflora* vivid. A plant of recent introduction and a most valuable acquisition. It produces numerous stout, square stems 1 to 1½ ft. high, each covered with large brilliant pink flowers. Sept.-Oct. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*PLUMBAGO larpetiae*. Delightful dwarf blue flower for the rock garden. Sept.-Oct. 6 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*POLEMONIUM reptans*. A dwarf blue flower for shady spot in the rock garden. 6 in. May-June. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*PRIMULA* (Primrose).

*Auricula*. Splendid little plants in the border or shaded nooks on the rockery. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

*TRILLIUM grandiflorum* (Wood Lily). Excellent plants for shady positions in the hardy border, or in a sub-aquatic position. Large, pure white flowers in early spring. 12 to 18 in. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

*Trollius Europaeus* (Globe Flower). Orange Globe. Desirable free-flowering plants producing their double bright yellow, butter-cup blossoms on stems 1 to 2 ft. high. May-August. Each 40c; doz. \$4.

*P. vulgaris*. The old English Primrose with pale yellow flowers. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

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*SCUTELLARIA baicalensis coerulea* (Skull Cap). An uncommon plant. It will flower from early summer until frost. The flowers are clear blue in color and resemble those of a Snapdragons in shape. 1½ ft. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*SHORTIA galacifolia* (Oconee Bells). Charming native plant with bell-shaped flowers. White shaded rose. 4-6 in. high. Neat round leaves turning red in the fall. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

*SILENE acaulis*. An Alpine of rare form and beauty. The bright pink flowers are borne on the cushion-like foliage. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

*SILENE schafta* (Autumn Catchfly). A charming border or rock plant, growing from 4 to 6 inches high, with masses of bright pink flowers from July to October. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*SISYRINCHIUM Bermulianum* (Satin Lily or Blue-Eyed Grass). A pretty summer and fall flowering plant with blue flowers and grass-like foliage. Each 35c; doz. \$3.

*STACHYS latifolia* (Great Sea Lavender). A valuable plant either for the border or rockery, with tufts of leathery leaves and immense candelabra-like heads, frequently 1½ ft. high and 2 ft. across, of purplish blue minute flowers during July and August. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

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*SPREADING PLANTS*

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*ACHILLEA tomentosa*. Plants suitable for dry, sunny places. 6 to 8 in. Bright yellow flowers. July to September. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

*AJUGA Genevensis* (Geneva Bugle). True blue spikes of bloom. Grand ground cover in shade. 6-8 in. May-June. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*A. reptans* (Purple Bugle). This variety has purple flowers and is more spreading. 6 in. May-June. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

*ARABIS Alpina* (Rock Cress). Pure white flowers, produced in dense masses, splendid for border and rockery work. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

*A. Alpina flore pleno*. Same as above but with double white flowers; very fine rock plant. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

*AUBRIETIA* Hybrids. Splendid creeping rock plant, in shades of pink, mauve and lavender. 6 in. May. Fine on walls. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*ARENARIA montana*. Grand dwarf subject for the rock garden. Covered with small white flowers. Likes full sunshine. 4 in. June. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*TALINUM calycinum*. A new hardy perennial succulent for dry sunny soils. Small green tufts of thick needle-shaped leaves from which arises a slender six-inch stem, bearing many wine-red and gold flowers, which open each afternoon. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

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*CALLIRHOE involucrata* (Poppy Mallow). An elegant trailing phlox with clear blue flowers for the rock garden. Sept.-Oct. 6 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

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*P. procumbens coerulea*. A new hardy trailing phlox with clear blue flowers and yellow stems. The panicles of flowers are only about 6 in. high. It lives thru the winter without protection and blooms in May or June. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*P. Subulata Jersey Blush*. (New). This blushing variety is quite distinct. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*ERASTIUM tomentosum*. Silvery foliage and pure white flowers. Fine rock plant. 6 in. June-July. Each 25c; doz. \$3.

*P. Subulata Alba*. The Albino of the tribe producing masses of snowy white flowers. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

*DIANTHUS caesius grandiflorus* (Cheddar Pink). It is very compact in growth and makes a cushion of glaucous leaves from which, in May, spring the sweet smelling, rose-colored flowers. Each 30c; doz. \$3.00.

*SAPONARIA ocymoides splendens* (Soapwort). Pretty border and rockery plant; flowers rosé pink. Each 30c; doz. \$3.00.

*SAGINA glabra*. Emerald green cushions of moss-like growth covered in spring with numberless small white flowers. The finest carpet plant. May be walked on without injury. 2 in. Clumps. Each 30c; doz. \$3; per hundred \$20.

*ERYSIMUM Pulchellum* (Fairy Wallflower). Dwarf plant with sulphur-yellow flowers. 6 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*THYMUS*. *Serpyllum* (Mountain Thyme). Forms dense mats of dark green foliage and clouds of lilac flowers. 3 to 4 in. June-July. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

*T. saxifraga*. Double. (New). A rare plant. Grows as easily as the single variety. Double flesh-pink flowers with thread-like leaves. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

*LAMIUM maculatum alba*. A very beautiful variegated plant; white flowers. 10 inches. July-Oct. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*VERONICA gentianoides*. Broad prostrate leaves and spikes of pale blue flowers in profusion. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

*ACONITUM Fischeri* (Dwarf Monkshood). This variety has compact spikes of dark blue flowers. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*MYOSOTIS palustris semperflorens*. (Forget-me-not). Large, rich blue flowers with yellow eye; charming plant for damp places. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

*T. Coccineum*. Plants become completely covered with brilliant crimson-scarlet flowers. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*VERBENA canadensis*. (New). A perfectly hardy plant with rugged dark green foliage and clusters of royal purple flowers from June to October. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*NEPETA Mussini* (Chinese Catnip). Dwarf, compact habit, producing masses of bloom of a beautiful shade of lavender. 1 to 1½ ft. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*AGROSTEMMA coronaria* (Mullein Pink). Crimson magenta flowers and woolly foliage. June-Aug. 2-3 ft. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

*C. persicifolia alba* (Peach Bells). Spikes of pure white bells. June-Aug. 2-3 ft. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

*C. persicifolia blue*. A companion to the preceding. June-Aug. 2-3 ft. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*DIGITALIS grandiflora* (Yellow Foxgloves). Spikes of yellow flowers. Fine for shade. Hardy 2-3 ft. June-July. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*DICTAMNUS fraxinellala* (White Gas Plant). Spikes of peculiar-shaped flowers with dark green cut leaves. 3 in. June-Aug. Each 60c; doz. \$6.

*DODECATHEON media* (Shooting Star). Pink or white cyclamen-like flowers on erect stalks; prostrate foliage. 2 ft. May-June. Damp places. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

*CARYOPTERIS mastacanthus* (Blue Sparaea). Peculiar lavender flowers on arching branches. 3 ft. Sept.-Oct. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

*DORONICUM Caucasicum* (Leopard's Bane). Bright yellow daisies on tall stems. Fine for cutting. 18 in. May. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

*EUPATORIUM ageratoides* (Thoroughwort). Panicles of white geranium-like flowers. 30 in. Aug.-Sept. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

*CENTAUREA dealbata* (Pink Hardy Corn Flower). Large pink flowers and cut foliage. 2 ft. June-July. Each 25c



## PERENNIALS UNDER 3 FEET

(Continued)

**GYPSOPHILA paniculata** (True Baby's Breath). Immense panicles of tiny white flowers. 18-24 in. July-August. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**G. Double White.** (Bristol Fairy) Like miniature snowballs in great confusion. Grafted plants. 18-24 in. Each \$1; 6 for \$5.

**HELENIUM hoopesi.** Large golden orange flowers in June. 18 in. Each 40c; doz. \$4.

**HELIOPSIS pitcheriana** (Orange Sunflower). Golden orange flowers in loose panicles on strong stems. 3 ft. July-Aug. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**HEMEROCAULIS flava** (Yellow Day Lily). Lemon Lily. Clear yellow, scented. June. 30 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**H. fulva** (Tawny Day Lily). Copper orange. Strong grower, good for naturalizing. 3 ft. June-July. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**HESPERIS matronalis** (Sweet Rocket). Fragrant light purple spikes. Like phlox in June. 2-3 ft. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**HYPERICUM moserianum.** Large golden flowers on graceful stems. June-Aug. 2 ft. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**LOBELIA cardinalis** (Cardinal Flower). Choice native plant with rich red spikes. Aug.-Sept. 24 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**LYCHNIS haageana** (Campion). Large orange-red flowers borne on the top of stiff stems. June-Aug. 12-15 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

## PERENNIALS OVER 3 FEET TALL

**ACONITUM Sparks Var.** (Tall Late Monkshood). A magnificent plant with dark blue hoods. 5 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 60c; doz. \$6.

**ANCHUSA dropmore** (Alkanet). Strong branching plants with numerous deep blue flowers. 3-4 ft. June-Aug. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**ARTEMISIA lactiflora** (Scented Mugwort). A tall, graceful plant with numerous small fragrant creamy-white flowers. Excellent in shade. 4-6 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**ASTER.** Blue Gem. Semi-double dark blue flowers. 4 ft. Sept.-Oct. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**A. Climax** (Michaelmas Daisy). Large lavender flowers freely borne on pyramid panicles. 4-5 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**A. Barr's Pink.** Deep pink on long sprays. 5 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**A. Perrys' White.** One of the best Fall white flowers. 4 ft. Sept. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**ASTER TATARICUS** (Tartarian Aster). A giant aster growing 6 ft. tall with long-stemmed sprays of beautiful lilac-lavender flowers that are excellent for cutting, lasting a long time in water. It has large stiff foliage at the base and should be planted 2 ft. apart. Excellent for background planting or among shrubs. Requires very little staking as the stems are strong. Oct.-Nov. Each 35c; doz. 3.00.

**BOCCONIA cordata** (Plume Poppy). A striking background plant with loose panicles of cream colored flowers and large ornamental leaves. 6 ft. Aug. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**LYSIMACHIA clethroides.** (White Loosestrife). Curved spikes of small white flowers. Dry places. July-Sept. 2 ft. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**MONARDA didyma.** Cambridge scarlet fragrant foliage and large heads of scarlet flowers. Shade. July-Aug. 2-3 ft. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**M. didyma.** Purple. July-Aug. 2-3 ft. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**OENOTHERA Youngii.** Evening Primrose). Showy lemon flowers in profusion. June-Aug. 2 ft. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**PAPAVER orientale hybrids.** Enormous poppies. May-June. 3 ft. Each 50c; doz. \$5.00.

**PHYSALIS Francheti** (Chinese Lantern Plant). Grown for its orange-colored pod or lanterns. 2 ft. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**PLATYCODON grandiflora** (Balloon flower). Blue buds like captive balloons. Opening into saucer-shaped flowers. 2 ft. June-Oct. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**POLEMONIUM coeruleum** (Jacob's Ladder). Sky blue flowers on stiff stems. Compound foliage. June-July. 18 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**POLYGONATUM Major** (Solomon's Seal). White pendulous bells on arching stalks. 2 ft. May-June. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**PYRETHRUM Roseum** (Painted Daisy). Colored Daisies on long stem and finely cut foliage. Mixed colors. May-June. 24 in. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**RUDBECKIA Newmanni** (Black Eyed Susan). Orange, yellow daisies with dark center. 2-3 ft. June-Sept. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**SAPONARIA officinalis** (Soapwort). Light pink flower. Excellent for naturalizing. Spreads rapidly. 2 ft. June-Aug. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**SCABIOSA Caucasica** (Blue Bonnet). Large lavender flowers on slender stiff stems. 18 in. June-Sept. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

**SIDALCEA. Rosy Gem.** (Greek Mallow). Charming though small pink mallow flowers. 24-30 in. June-Aug. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**SPIRAEA Filipendula Fl. Pl.** (Double Dropwort). Pretty prostrate fern-like foliage and panicles of double creamy white fragrant flowers. 18 in. July. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**STOKESIA cyanea** (Corn Flower Aster). Charming lavender flowers. 2 ft. July-Oct. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**THALICTRUM Aquilegifolium** (Meadow Rue). Graceful purple flowers and foliage. 2-3 ft. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**VERONICA longifolia subsessilis** (Speedwell). Splendid spikes of deep blue flowers. Dark green leaves. 24-30 in. Aug.-Oct. Each 40c; doz. \$4. ....

**HEMEROCAULIS florham** (Late Yellow Day Lily). A strong growing variety, bearing very large trumpet-shaped flowers. 3-3 1/2 ft. July-Aug. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

**HOLLY HOCKS** (Althea Rosea). Old favorites in both single and double forms and all shades. 5-6 ft. June-July. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**HIBISCUS** (Mallow Marvels). Strong stalks bearing large single flowers often 10 in. across. 5-6 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**LIATRIS pycnostachys** (Kansas Gay Feather). An unusually striking plant with rich purple spikes. 5-6 ft. July-Aug. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**L. scariosa.** A distinct fall blooming species with very large individual flowers on a tall spike. Each 40c; doz. \$4.

**LUPINUS polyphyllus hybrids** (Wolf Pea). A new race of the charming plants with colors ranging from blue, yellow, pink. 3-4 ft. June-Sept. Each 35c; doz. 3.50.

**LYTHRUM. Rose Queen.** (Loosestrife). Elegant strong plant for brooksides. Spikes of deep rose pink flowers. 4-5 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**PENTSTEMON Torreyi.** (Beard Tongue). Graceful spikes of scarlet flowers. 4 in. June-Sept. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**PHYSOSTEGIA Virginica alba** (False Dragon Head). Spikes of white flowers. Excellent for cutting. 4 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**POLYGONUM amplexicaule** (Bamboo Plant). Rosy-red masses of flowers on strong jointed canes. 5-6 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 50c; doz. \$5.



# Perennials Over 3 ft. Tall

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**HARDY PHLOX.** Greatest of the summer perennials.

Each 30c; doz. \$3; hundred \$20.  
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**P. Beacon.** Phlox are universal favorites and will thrive in nearly every kind of soil. This variety is cherry red. 3-4 ft. Aug.-Sept.

**P. Blue Hill.** The bluest tall phlox.

**P. Elizabeth Campbell.** Soft salmon pink. One of the choicest 3-4 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

**P. Europa.** Large white flowers with a crimson eye. 3-4 ft. Aug.-Sept.

**P. Le Mahdi.** Purple-violet with lighter shading. Very striking. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

**P. Fireglow.** Beautiful crimson-scarlet. One of the best of its color. 3-4 ft. Aug.-Sept.

**P. Walla.** One of the best of the pure whites. Strong grower. 3-4 ft. Aug.-Sept.

**P. Suffruticosa Miss Lingard.** A distinct species bearing white flowers early and late. Shiny foliage. 3-3½ ft. June-Oct.

**P. Miss Verboom.** Pink flowers. Habit like Miss Lingard. 3-3½ ft. June-Oct. Each 50c; doz. \$5.

**PYRETHRUM uliginosum** (Swamp Daisy). Tall stalks crowned with small clusters of large daisies. 4 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

**RUDBECKIA Lanceolata** (Golden Glow). Large double golden flowers on 6 ft. stems. Aug. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**R. Maxima.** A new giant variety with large yellow flowers 5 in. across and an enormous cone. 5 ft. June-Sept. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

**R. purpurea** (Giant Purple Cone Flower) Striking rosy purple flowers with brownish bristly cones. 3-3½ ft. July-Oct. Each 30c; doz. \$3.

**SALVIA azurea** (Rocky Mountain Sage). Graceful sprays of sky-blue blooms. 3-4 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 25c; doz. \$2.50.

**S. Pitcheri** (Pitcher's Sage). Gentian blue flowers in sprays like azurea. 3-4 ft. Aug.-Sept. Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.

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**SPIRAEA aruncus** (Meadow Sweet).  
Plumy panicles of tiny white flowers.  
4 ft. June-July. **Each 50c; doz. \$5.**

**S. Palmata.** Pretty pink plumes, dark green cut-leaf foliage. 3-3 1/2 ft. June-Aug. **Each 50c; doz. \$5.**

**S. Venusta.** The best crimson variety.  
4-5 ft. June. **Each 50c; doz. \$5.**

**THALICTRUM dipterocarpum** (Blue Meadow Rue). An exceedingly graceful plant with airy bluish flowers on slender stems. 4 ft. June-July. **Each 50c; doz. \$5.**

**THERMOPSIS Caroliniana** (False Lupin).  
Stately compact spikes of clear yellow flowers. 4-5 ft. June. **Each 40c; doz. \$4.**

**TRITOMA pfizeri** (Torch Lily). A peculiar plant with strong spikes of pendulous orange-scarlet trumpet-shaped flowers. Long narrow dark green leaves. 3-4 ft. Aug.-Sept. **Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.**

**VALERIANA officinalis** (Fragrant Garden Heliotrope). Tall leafy spikes with broad clusters of flesh pink fragrant flowers. 3-4 ft. July-Aug. **Each 30c; doz. \$3.**

**V. Rubra.** Small red flowers borne in great profusion. The flower clusters are in panicles. Very hardy. **Each 30c; doz. \$3.**

**YUCCA filamentosa** (Adams Needle and Thread). Handsome spikes of cream-white pendulous bells. Foliage evergreen. 4 ft. Aug. **Each 35c; doz. \$3.50.**

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